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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT TACOMA

10 JOHN PHET,
11 Petitioner,
12 v.
13 HAROLD CLARKE,
14 Respondent.

15 Case No. C07-5493RBL/JKA

16 ORDER GRANTING
17 RESPONDENT AN
18 EXTENSION OF TIME

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20 This 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition has been assigned to the undersigned Magistrate Judge.
21 Before the court is Respondent's second motion for an extension of time to file an answer (Dkt. #
22 17). Counsel indicates she is waiting for files from the state court that are needed answer the petition.
23 Counsel shows the files were requested in a timely manner and has shown good cause for a
24 continuance. Counsels motion is **GRANTED**. Counsel will have until **May 13 2008**, to file an
25 answer.

26 The clerk is directed to send copies of this order to petitioner and counsel for respondent.

27 DATED this 14 day of March, 2008.

28 */S/ J. Kelley Arnold*
29 J. Kelley Arnold
30 United States Magistrate Judge

31 ORDER- 1